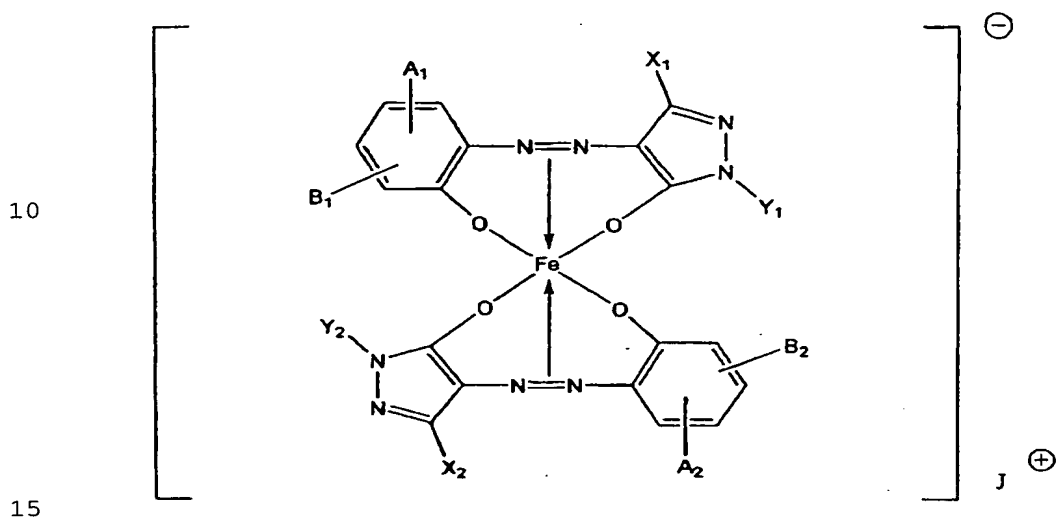


ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

An electrophotographic printing method which comprises using a charge controlling agent containing a monoazo iron complex compound of the formula (1) as an effective component,



wherein A₁, A₂, B₁ and B₂ are respectively independently H, an alkyl group or a halogen atom, J is H, an alkali metal, NH₄ or an alkylammonium, they may be two or more kinds, X₁ and X₂ are respectively independently H, an alkyl group or a halogen atom, and Y₁ and Y₂ are respectively independently H, an alkyl group or an aromatic group which may have a substituent, provided that a case in which A₁, A₂, B₁, B₂, X₁, X₂, Y₁, and Y₂ are hydrogen at the same time is excluded.